

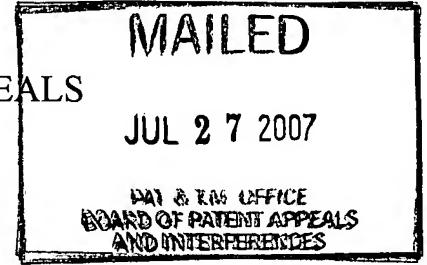
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
AND INTERFERENCES

Ex parte TOM YUXIN ZHU

Application No. 10/730,447

ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER



This application was received electronically at the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on July 21, 2007. A review of the application has revealed that the application is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the examiner. The matter requiring attention prior to docketing is identified below:

On March 21, 2006, an Examiner's Answer was entered into the record. On page 3 of the Examiner's Answer, the examiner cites "EP 506464, by Pang" as prior art. However, a copy of the reference is missing from the electronic file.

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Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the application is returned to the Examiner to:

- 1) to enter the Pang reference into the electronic file; and
- 2) for such further action as may be appropriate.

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